THE ALUMNI ELECT OFFICERS.

Resolutions Anent Doctors' Taxes

and O. D. Hospital Appropriation.

lege of Virginia held their annual meet-

ing in the amphitheatre of the institution yesterday. There were two sessions, and

the attendance upon both occasions was

quite large.

quite large. The morning session was levoted to the discussion of scientific

questions, and in the evening there was a

OFFICERS ELECTED.

The treasurer's report showed the

Vacancies on the Faculty.

To Publish a Medical Journal.

"THROUGH COLONIAL DOORWAYS."

The Entertainment Is Witnessed

with Belight by a Large Crowd

Rev. Dr. Hatcher's residence, on wes

with a genial and happy throng, assembled to witness one of the most unique and interesting entertainments of the sea

son. It was styled "Through Colonial Doorways," and was given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of Grace-Street church for the benefit of the building fund.

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The entertainment told the story of early Puritan days, the discontent of the colonists under taxation, the War of Independence, and the early days of the republic. Mr. Haddon Watkins and Mrs. Brengle sang several appropriate selections, and Miss Bessie Powell was the accompanist.

The event was a great success in every particular, and afterwards refreshments were served, and the guests passed the time pleasantly until nearly midnight.

Two Small Fires Yesterday

There were two small fires yesterday At 5:15 o'clock in the morning Steamet No. 1 went on a still alarm. A blaze in a kitchen on Twenty-fifth street between Broad and Marshall, occupied by negroes, was responsible for it. The stationmen extinguished the blaze. Ten dollars will cover the damages.

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At 11:10 an alarm from Box 64 took the department to a stable in the rear of 52 north Fourth street. After a battle with the flames the fire was extinguished. The stable was used by P. R. Hatcher, and he suffers a loss of 550.

Regret His Retirement.

The officers of the Virginia Volunteer Cavalry have all subscribed a letter to Colonel Euker, in which is expressed sincere regret that the late commandant has retired from active service, together with expressions of respect and esteem.

was thronged last night

The Alumni Society of the Medical Col-

### OUR YOUNG DOCTORS.

MANY RECEIVE DIPLOMAS FROM MEDICAL COLLEGE OF VA.

THE COMMENCEMENT LAST NIGHT.

Best Session in History of the An-Address - Many Prizes

The Medical College of Virginia, the oldest institution of its kind in the State,

The graduating class, sors and officers of the college, and

acouty, and the address of the eve-

earnest and eloquent words were

estra, were opened with a fervent and ment prayer offered by Rev. Jabez mstor of Seventh-Street Christian

dies and Gentlemen,-We have

and my relations with him were r and dear that I cannot trust my-

ation of two new professorships, and changes in some of those already ablished, which will greatly increase

tended to us heretofore.

have now the honor and pleasure to neer the degree of Doctor of Medicine

THE GRADUATES.

The following young physicians were then called upon by name, and as they advanced to the front of the stage were

Joseph R. Hiden, Joseph H. Loney, R. F. Whitehead, S. Hepbern, M. Hazen. McRae Banks, G. R. Wharton, M. M. Seward, nomus R. Rucker. tarles W. Keel, homas P. West, P. Tempkins, P. R. Williams, Joseph E. Burkes, A. B. Griner, D. B. Diewry, Dorsey M. Morris, Marvin P. Skeen, F. W. Upshur, R. M. Tallaferro, W. J. Knight, J. B. Woodville J. V. Person, Jr. When all had received the papers addressing them direct, said: entlemen, I congratulate you boving obtained this great honor to which you have aspired, and for which

ou have so faithfully labored. In the anguage of your diploma, 'May you be fortunate and happy." APPOINTMENTS ANNOUNCED. As the graduates resumed their seats mehers passed among them, and each and every one of the thirty-four was presented with three or four baskets of

ing a lively and inspiring air.

This being concluded, Dr. Tompkins arose and said: It give me pleasure to announce the following hospital ap-

Resident Physicians Old Dominion Hospital-Dr. Charles W. Keel and Dr.

Resident Physician City Almshouse-Dr. Greer Baughman. Resident Physician Refreat for the Sick-Dr. R. M. Tallaferro.

Resident Physician sheltering Arms-Dr. D. B. Drewry. Resident Physician, St. Vincent's Hos-pital, Norfolk, Va.—Dr. P. St. L. Mon-

Resident Physician United States Marine Hospital, Boston, Mass.-Dr. Francis W. Upshur.

THE ALUMNI PRIZE.

Dr. H. Cabell Tabb then delivered the omni prize. He said: "Ladies and Gentlemen: The Society of Alumni of the Medical College of Viriven a medal to the graduate who stood he best examination in all departments ght in the curriculum of the college.

considering the difficulty, Dr. W. Keel has been declared the victor, Keel coming forward, Dr. Tabb said im: "Dr. Keel, to say you are easily in this contest would be not only uncard, but unjust to you, as well as your noble competitors, in each one whom you found a forman worthy of You are to be congratulated the more on account of the clorecess

prike you have won is no mere but a gem. 'a thing of beauty,' from it you can always learn lesand useful whenever gazing its symbolic front, inspiring neither nor dismay. Nor does it bear upon acgle the Gordon's head, turning those to look upon it into stone, but instead hereof the Rod, indicating Power; the expents, symbolizing Wisdom, and the denoting Energy and Celerity, all indicative of attributes, the possession of

which you have already given evidence, and each one of which I am sure you wi have frequent occasion to exercise. "Dr. Keel, I have no doubt but that you will wear this jewel with credit to yourwith wear this jover with creat to your self and honor to your Alma Mater, and when you have reached a ripe old age, may she be able to say that to her you were 'always and everywhere faithful.'

DELIVERY OF PRIZES. When Drs. Tabb and Keel took their seats, Dr. John N. Upshur delivered the other prizes, as follows: Faculty prize for second best standing, or. Dorsey Morris, of Richmond.

Purcell, Ladd & Co's prize for the third best standing, Dr. Greer Baughman, of Richmond. Dr. Charles M. Shield's prize for the best examination on diseases of the eye, ear, and throat, to Dr. Dorzey Morris.
Dr. George Ben. Johnston's prize for the best report of his clinics to Drs. E. P. Tompkins and P. St. L. Moncure.
Dr. J. W. Long's prize for the best examination on expressions. In the Green

imination on gynecology, to Dr. Greer Raman D. Garcin's prize to the raduate having the best standing in the practice of medicine to Dr. F. W. Upshur. In this connection, Mr. Greer Baughman was mentioned with honor.

Dr. D. A. Kuyk's prize for the best standing in the eye, ear, and throat class to Dr. Sewell F. Heffron M. J. Garvin's prize for the best examination on surgery, to Dr. T. R. Rucker. Dr. W. F. Drewry's prize for the best examination on diseases of the nervous system, to Dr. P. St. L. Moncure. Dr. W. C. Barker's prize for the best standing on diseases of the nervous sys-

for the best examination on material medica and therapeutics, to Mr. Frank M. Reed, of the second class.

tem, to Dr. B. W. Rawl.

the prizes, Dr. Upshur made a short address, in which he spoke fee ingly of the death of Dr. Charles M. Shields.

ADDRESS OF RABBI CALISCH. When the students had taken their "I have now the honor to introduce to you the Rev. Dr. Edward N. Callsch, the orator of the occasion, whose character as a gentleman and a scholar is too well

me.
Dr. Callsch spoke on the topic, "Science
the Handmaid of Religion." After acknowledging his serse of the honor conferred
in the selection of him as orator, he said that the thought that came first to his mind was how great an advantage these young men who were being graduated had over their predecessors. "We know," he said, "so much more than our fathers, as we are the heirs to the accumulated wisdom and achievements of the centuries that have gone. And this age has also made fremendous advances in every direction the study and practice of medicine and surgery fifty years ago with those that obtain now, we realize how much has hall been accomplished. The discovery of bene We who speak so glibly of anaesthetics. inoculation, X-rays, bacteriology, microbi-ology, ptomaines, and toxins, must remember that, excepting the first these things were almost unheard of ath of the honored president of the ard of Visitors, Judge W. W. Crump, to four beloved colleague, Dr. Charles They have brought pathology from the Shields.

I is not possible for any words of borderland of exact science. They have no to do justice to their merit and to rendered the practice of medicine to be almost a preventive rather than a curative art. The advance in surgery is to attempt to say what I so profoundto attempt to say what I so profoundeel.
an evidence of our continued prosan evidence of our continued proswill follow, and that if his preparations I have to announce that the have been complete be need not fear of study will be enlarged by the erysipelas of the wound or blood-poison-

> edge with old ideas. Theories long established and endeared by age are crum's ing to ashes. Many persons lament the iconoclasm of science, and with a sigh behold the shattering of mental idols long

this no. Interest is intensified for the reason that so many people are affected, believing that their tife's happiness is involved. Doctrines which inspired our fathers with fervent faith, which were ency, a rainbow of promise after a flood of despair, their solace in sorrow, and their comfort in despair, doctrines which they had received for centuries as coming from divinely inspired sources and incapable of error, of these doctrines the new knowledge demonstrates that some is incluctable; it is the evidence of stub-born facts, that are bewn from the very rocks of earth and lit up by the lamps of the firmament. The proclamation of these facts has caused terror to many of jour-established theological theories dence is the enemy of religion, and that "Science does not conflict with religion, but with theology. It does not deny God, but the dogmatic assertions of men concerning God. As a teacher of religion he would bid the followers of science godspeed on their way. Let man's trimphast mental advance proceed. it will be found that thereby religion, real religion, has been helped and not

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CORNER FOURTH AND BROAD STS.

another member of the Board of Visitors, was called upon, but said he was the baby of the board, having been a member but five days, and he considered it to he too late at night for bables to talk.

Dr. E. C. Levy, of the adjunct faculty, was the last speaker of the evening. He spoke of the establishment of a college journal, which had been decided upon, and he, as the editor of the paper, said is was purposed to make of it a complete and thorough medical journal.

The evening was brought to a close by the singing of "Auld Lang Syne," led by Captain Cunningham. PAIN A CONDITION OF PROGRESS. "It is true that there will be much

pain is a condition of progress. But the pain never comes till we are able to en-dure it. We will be compelled to lose much that had been of service and of solace to the myriad generations that have lived. But as these cherished ideas edge of the majestic wisdom of God, a profounder reverence, and an intenser faith. The faithful need have no fear of this greater knowledge, for while the conflicting claims of differing theologies may be swept aside, the fundamental may be swept aside, the fundamental principles of faith, the existence of God, and the necessity of righteousness will be strengthened. Thus will science be the handmaid of religion, teaching humility and encouraging reverence, and loyal to the truth that shall set us free. Thus is science the burning bush through which God speaks to man age after age And as man approaches nearer, he rea-lizes that he is treading on holy ground. Every department of his knowledge speaks to him of God. Every deeper research proclaims to him the omni-presence of the all-pulseant First Cause. Every newly-acquired fact, every newlylearned law, every newly-understood phenomenon brings him more light from the exhaustless source of all life, light,

A VERY RESPONSIBLE PROFESSION. Turning to the graduating class, the Rabbi addressed them in particular, telling them how glorious was the profession they had chosen to follow, how splendid its opportunities and its privileges. But however high any one of them might rise, or howscover many would tread the naths of purposspiles. would tread the paths of unrecognized would tread the paths of unrecognized mediocrity, he hoped they would all be always Godfearing men. He spoke of the value of sympathetic presence in the sick-room, when the mind of the patient is relieved by the consciousness that he can pour out his heart troubles, for men are never so prone to religion as when they are sick. "When the devil was they are sick. sick, the devil a monk would be."

Further, the responsibilities of the pro-

as a gentleman and a scholar is too well known to need any commendation from me.

must come from faith and fear in God. A physician's knowledge of the private life of his patient must be a sacred trust; it is so searching and intimate. Reputation is what men hear about us. racter is what God and our family phy-sician know about us. When we consider the confidences reposed in him, the hidden springs of life that are revealed to him, the trust that is placed in his honor by wives and maidens, we may well realize that a physician must be n this he must be a reverent and God-fearing man. The scoffer has no enduring wall of strength, but a tower of salvation is faith in God, before whom all men must be holy, for He is the perfection of

When Dr. Calisch concluded, Rev. Jabez benediction.

#### AN ENJOYABLE BANQUET. mencement Exercises.

As soon as the proceedings at the Acad emy were concluded, the members of the Board of Visitors, the faculty, and the students of the college, together with a They have large number of invited guests, repaired to Sanger Hall, where a sumptuous ban-quet was served by Mine Host Zimmer-

almost a preventive rather than a curative art. The advance in surgery is equally brilliant. Counteracting the insidious microbe with aseptic cleaniness, the magician of the scalpel can wave his wand and know that healing and blessing will follow, and that if his preparations have been complete he need not fear erysipelas of the wound or blood-poisoning, or wonder why some wounds will suppurate for weeks and others heal by first intention, nor gread that hospital gangrene will be a Banquo's ghost to haunt his waking hours and disturb the

t is our intention to establish two wedgestiments—one of Dentistry, and other of Pharmacy—and to greatly arge our already-admirable hospitable is aboratory facilities.

This statement of what has been done to what we propose to do authorizes to confidently expect a continuance of favor which has been so graciously.

Alma Mater.

onel John S. Harwood was next
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on the faculty, and in conclusion he cease of Dr. Charles M. Shielas, which are characterized as a noble, lovable man. Dr. Thomas H. Barnes, of Nansemond, a member of the Foard of Visitors, was introduced, and made a most humorous talk evoking much laughter at the ex-pense of the "handsome" graduating

Hon. W. F. Reddy was next called upon Hon. W. F. Reddy was next called upon for a talk, and he most humorously congratulated the faculty on the "send of," as he characterized the banquet, which they were giving the students. He paid a glowing tribute to the work done in the last Legislature in the interest of the Medical College of Virginia by Colonel John S. Harwood, and when he started to take his seat he was called upon for a song, responding with "Hennessy's Baby." He was encored vociferously, and sang another Irish song, to the delight of the gathering.

Dr. George Ross, of the University Col-

sang another Irish song, to the dengat of the gathering.
Dr. George Ross, of the University College of Medicine and Surgery, made a short talk, in which he complimented the graduating class, and spoke of the evident carnestness of the young men to perform the duties they had undertaken as their life's work. Dr. Ross then spoke of the harmony that should exist between the two medical colleges of this city, and expressed the hope that they would for all time hereafter work together in unity. He concluded with a word of advice for the

THE BOARD OF VISITORS. THE BOARD OF VISITORS.

Mr. W. R. Meredith, of the Board of Visitors of the college, was next introduced, and he, after indulging in a few moments of humor, spoke of the wonderful success achieved by the college, and predicted a glorious future for it. Speaking for the Board of Visitors, he said that they did not propose to let the progression of the college cease now, but it was their intention, with the assistance of the faculty, to put the institution abreast of any medical college in this country or abroad.

When Mr. Meredith took his seat Dr. Tabb called on Captain Frank W. Cunningham, who, he said, held a warm place in "all our hearts."

Captain Frank broke forth into song, and for several minutes held his listeners spellbound with his sweet tenor voice. He, like Mr. Reddy, was forced to respond to an encore.

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Dr. Greer Baughman was called upon to speak for the graduating class, and he, after alluding in general terms to the student body, heaped encomiums on the adjunct faculty to whom the graduates were greatly indebted for their know-ledge.

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Dr. Griner, another of the graduates, and president of the class, followed Dr. Baughman, and, speaking in complimentary terms of his associates, asserted that it was a great honor to hold a graduating diploma of the Medical College of Virginia. He told of the faithful work done by the class of 1897, and spoke words of praise and encouragement to those of his associates who had failed to win prizes.

SPOKE FOR THE FACULTY.

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Dr. John N. Upshur, a member of the faculty, was called upon to speak for that body, and he, in glowing terms, told of the work done by the students during the past year. He referred especially to the faithfulness displayed by the class of 1897, and then telling of his college days immediately after the war, compared the curriculum of that time with that of the present, showing the advantages the students of to-day have over those of his day. He then told of the progress of the Medical College of Virginia, and predicted a great future for the institution.

Dr. J. F. Bryant, of Franklin, a member of the Board of Visitors, was next introduced and he spoke, not for the board, but for the honorary members of the said that he had on several occasions been honored with positions and offices, but the greatest honor he had ever received was his election to honorary membership in, the Alumni Arsociation of the Medical College of Virginia. In conclusion, Dr. Bryant advised the newly made physicians to get themselves wives, but to be sure to wait until they became self-supporting before so doing. He followed this up with the advice to charge liberally for their services, assuring them that a physician's ability was oftentimes gauged by the charges he made.

THE BABY OF THE BOARD.

Dr. J. N. Barney, of Fredericksburg, SPOKE FOR THE FACULTY

PURCHASE OF THE AUDITORIUM.

THE PHYSICIANS TO THE POOR.

Change with Reference to Them to Be Considered-News of the City Water-Meters Wanted.

The Council Committee on Finance held

a three hours' session last night, in which much business was transacted. The most important matter considered was the purchase by the city of the Auditoquestions, and in the evening there was a brief business meeting, at which officers for the ensuing year were elected, and other matters of importance to the society were promulgated.

Dr. H. C. Tubb presided. The earlier session was taken up for the most part with the reading and discussion of an erudite paper on "Tuberculous Diseases of Bones," prepared for the occasion by Dr. R. B. Teusler, of this city. Dr. Robert F. Williams read another interesting paper on the same subject, and reported a most remarkable case of congenital hipjoint disease. rium building, which is situated on a portion of the Exposition-Grounds. A majority of the members were in favor of the city buying this large hall for the purpose of accommodating all large assemblages here in future. The city contributed \$12,000 to the erection of the addition to the Exposition buildings, in order to provide an auditorium to accommodate the United Confederate Veterans in their annual session last year, but owing to the foreclosure of a mortgage upon the premises, a certain part of the grounds are soon to be sold, and it is thought desirable that the city should own exclusively the Auditorium. The recommendation of the Finance Committee could not be learned last night, but it is understood that it was for the purchase of the hall.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

At the evening session, which convened at 5 o'clock, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Dr. W. F. Drewry, of Petersburg, Va.; First Vice-President, Dr. Thomas P. Hope, of Poquosin; Second Vice-President, Dr. C. B. Jones, of Ashland, Va.; Third Vice-President, Dr. C. A. Easley, of Bluefield, W. Va.; Fourth Vice-President, Dr. I. N. Kite, United States army; Secretary, Dr. D. A. Kuyk, of Richmond; Assistant Secretary, Dr. E. W. Gee, of Richmond; Treasurer, Dr. Edward McCarthy; Registrar, C. R. Rubens; Orator at the next annual meeting, Dr. Dan, J. Coleman; Executive Committee-Drs, George Ben, Johnston, W. W. Parker, J. B. Matthews, J. A. Barney, D. A. Kuyk, and Ed. McCarthy.

Several in the constitution and by-laws, and STREET-CAR CROSSINGS. There was a meeting last night of the sub-committee designated by the Committee on Streets to investigate the question of the right-of-way of streetcars. Those present were Messrs. Pol-lock, Ebel, and Carter, of the commit-tee, and Messrs. A. B. Guigon, counsel for the Richmond Railway and Electric Company, and Phil. B. Shelld, represent-Carthy.

Several important amendments were made in the constitution and by-laws, and resolutions were adopted to present to the Legislature a petition praying relief from the heavy taxes imposed on doctors, and providing that candidates for the next Legislature should be pledged, as far as possible, to vote for the annual appropriation for the Old Dominion Hosing the Richmond Traction Company, and after a great deal of discussion it was decided that the sub-committee should recommend that all cars should stop at Twenty-first and Broad and Seventh and Broad streets, and that the right-of-way should be given to the respective com-

the iterasurer's report showed the so-clety to be in a flourishing condition, but it also showed a large number of de-linquents on the list, and a by-law was framed to the effect that all members re-maining delinquent for five years should have their names struck off the rolls of panies as follows: To the Traction Company-At Twentyfirst and Broad streets; Fourteenth and Broad streets; Ninth and Broad streets; Laurei and Cary streets, and Twentythird and Venable streets.

To the Richmond Railway and Electric Company-At Twenty-ninth and Broad streets; Twenty-fourth and Broad streets; Seventh and Broad streets; Twelfth and Broad streets; Harrison and Broad streets, and First and Main streets. HEALTH COMMITTEE MEETS.

Vacancies on the Faculty.

The Board of Visitors of the Medical College of Virginia convened in annual session at noon in the college building. There were present David W. Lassiter. M. D., of Petersburg; B. T. Crump, of Richmond; Rev. J. J. Lafferty, D. D., of Richmond; R. E. Moore, M. D., of Wytheyille; Lewis Wheat, M. D., of Richmond; Robert B. Berkeley, of Palaski; James B. McCaw. M. D., of Michmond; W. W. Dobgliass, M. D., of Wishmond; W. W. Dobgliass, M. D., of Warsaw; J. S. Pendleton, M. D., of Marlon; Colonel John B. Purcell, of Richmond; Wyndham R. Meredith, of Richmond; Thomas H. Barnes, M. D., of Elwood, Nansemond country; Thomas P. Mathews, M. D., of Manchester; J. F. Bryant, M. D., of Franklin.

The absentees were George B. Harrison, of Boyce; William P. McGuire, M. D., of Winchester; Herbert M. Nash, M. D., of Norfolk; John R. Baylor, M. D., of Greenwood.

Dr. J. B. McCaw was elected president. The Committee on Health convened in regular session in Room No. Il of the City Hall at 7 o'clock last night. Those present were Chairman Hobson and Messrs. Burton, Cutchins, Hawkins, Snead, Williams, and Moore. Bills amounting to 31,622-63, and pay-rolls aggregating 31,163 were approved.

The Clerk announced that a communication had been received from the Communi

The Clerk announced that a communication had been received from the Committee on Streets asking the Health Committee to join that body in a joint session next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock to consider the proposition from the Committee on Retreachment and Reform to place the physicians to the poor under the control of the Committee on Relief of the Poor. The suggestion as to the meeting was agreed to. of Nortons, John Greenwood.

Dr. J. B. McCaw was elected president of the heard in place of the late Judge W. W. Crump.

Much routine business was transacted and many important changes were discussed, including plans for the enlargement of the faculty and the increase of the curriculum of studies from three to four years. was agreed to.
After transacting some unimportant routine business the committee adjourned.

CITY-HALL COURT NEWS. No cases were tried in the Hustings Court yesterday: Judge Weilford opened and adjourned the court, continuing the cases fixed to have been heard until the 27th instant. Clerk Walter Christian is-sued a marriage-license yesterday to Mr. Ernest D. Moore and Miss Oilie A. Bar-frot

red vacant. Similar action was taken
to the chair of the late Dr. Charles M.
clds, Professor of Diseases of the
e, Ear, and Throat.
was decided to advertise for suc-Court by Carrie Schwartz against Wil-liam D. Meyers for \$10,000 damages. No declaration was filed.

In the Chancery Court Oscar Cranz. Jr., qualified as executor of the estate of Pauline Lybrock.

Mr. Richard M. Norment, who sued the

AI, Richard M. Norment, who sued the Hasker-Marcuse Manufacturing Company for \$5,000 in the Law and Equity Court, was given a verdict for \$1,000. A motion to set aside the verdict was recorded, and will be argued some time during the term. BIDS FOR WATER-METERS.

To Publish a Medical Journal.

One of the practical results of this year's commencement of the Medical College of Virginia has been the completion of arrangements for the publication of a monthly medical journal under the joint auspices of the Alumni Society and the faculty of the college.

The paper will be called the Medical Register, and will be edited by Dr. Edward C. Levy, of this city. The first number will be published May 15th next. It is the intention of the faculty and alumni to make the Register an op-to-date medical newspaper in every sense of the word. The contributions to its columns will come to a large extent from the pens of the alumni, but distinguished physicians in all parts of the country will be asked to contribute.

The journal is the result of a resolution adopted at the last annual commence ment. At that time a committee was appointed by the faculty and alumni to consider the advisability of undertaking the publication, and this committee, of which Dr. Daniel Coleman was chairman, reported the matter very favorably yesterday. A subscription-list was opened, and was swelled to a goodly number. BIDS FOR WATER-METERS.

The Water Department has advertised for bids to furnish the city with water-meters. The contract will be let, it is supposed, next Thursday night, when the bids are opened by the Water Committee.

These meters will be placed in the districts where water pressure is greatest, with the hope that the waste of water will be checked. The department will put in a meter anywhere, provided it is bought by the citizen. The department has no meters on hand, and the instruments have to be purchased from an agent for some one of the concerns manufacturing them.

The Commissioner of the Revenue requests all citizens who have not sent in their tax-lists to his office to do so at

quests all citizens who have not sent in their tax-lists to his office to do so at once. He reminds them, further, that they are liable to a fine for further delay, and that the work of his office is greatly retarded by such inaction on their part.

The amount of delinquent taxes this year is \$122,023.15. This does not include the \$290,705.11 railroad assessment that was placed on the tax-lists two days before the time expired for payment. The matter is still unsettled. There is an increase of \$15.671.23 over last year, for there was just \$105,301.83 delinquent last year. Collector Waiford is ready for payments of these taxez, and will make a personal call on delinquents if he finds time to leave on delinquents if he finds time to leave

The funeral of Dr. James R. Nalle, who died last Monday, took place yesterday afternoon from the residence, No. 15 west Grace street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. Y. Downman, rector of All-Saints church, assisted by Rev. Dr. Tudor. Many members of the medical profession were present to pay a last tribute to the memory of the deceased, and the remains were followed to the grave in Hollywood Cemetery by a large number of friends and acquaintances of the deceased.

Mr. McDaniel the Winner.

At the joint orators' contest of the Mu At the joint orators' contest of the Mu Sigma Rho and Philologian Literary Societies of Richmond College last night, the medal was won by Mr. Charles G. McDaniel, of Nottoway county. The other contestants were Messrs. Gibson, Cawthon, and Johnson, ail of whom made fine speeches. The judges of the contest were Governor Charles T. O'Ferrall, Hon. B. B. Munford, and Hon, James Keith. A large audience was present, and the occasion was a most enjoyable one.

Called to St. Andrew's.

A call has been extended to Rev. Thomas Semmes, of Richmond county, to the pulpit of St. Andrew's episcopal the pulpit of St. Andrew's e.p.s. opat church made vacant by the death of Rev Dr. Pike Powers. Mr. Semmes will preach at St. Andrew's to-night and on Sunday.

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Remnants of Elderdown, 15c. yard to

Remnants of 35c. Dark Figured Organ-

dy, 7c. yard. 121-2c. Flyured and Lace-Striped Dimi-ty, 73-4c. yard to close. Gentlemen's Dark Teck Ties, 121-2c. to

Gentlemen's Wash Teck Ties, 3c. to

Gentlemen's Celluloid Cuffs, 5c, pair to

Gentlemen's Linen Collars, 4c. to close, Ladies' Large Silk Bows, for turn-down

collars, 10c.

Pure Linen Huck Towels, 19c, size, 7c.

Large Size All-Linen Huck Towels, 17c,

Boys' Percale Shirt-Walsts, 10c. to

Boys' Duck Suits, were \$1.50; to close 750, Ladies' Light-Color Wash Blazer Jack-

ts. 25c. to close. Ladies' All-Wool Suits, were \$8.50; \$5 to

Large-Dot Curtain Muslin, 10c. yard to

Chenille Table-Covers, were 10c.; 20c. to

and Broad.

# Friday--Remnant Day. Extraordinary: Friday's Bargains. Penholders, 2 for ic. Bonnet Wire, 3c, roll to close. Snool Silk, 2c, spool. Inside Belting, 'to close, ic. yard. Whalebones, 3c, dozen. Paim Soap, 2c, dozen cakes. Covered Speels, 1c, dozen. Gray Hook-and-Eye Tape, 5c, yard to

THING MARKED AT PRICES TO CLOSE.

Black Silk and Wool Crepon, was \$1.75;

All-Wool Black Granite, was \$1.25, now 69c. a yard, Black Serge, 44 inches wide, was \$1, now Black Serge, 44 lifenes wide, was 30. Low 49c.

Black Wool Grenadine, 36 inches wide, was 50c.; price to close, 12 1-2c. yard.
One pattern of Satin-Stripe Armure, 7 3-4 yards, was 55c., to close 25c. yard.
All-Wool Black Albatross, 12 1-2c. yard.
1 piece of 36-inch Pink Cashmere, was 25c.: price to close, 12 1-2c. yard.
You will find at the Black-Goods Counter lots of All-Wool and Silk and Wool Remnants.
50-inch All-Wool Ladies' Cloth—colors Brown, Green, Navy, Red, and Gray—was 50c., to close 25c. close.
1,000 yards of Best Light Stripe and Figured Percales, 61-ic. to close.
Fancy Dress Styles in Cotton Duck, 71-2c. yard to close.
Blue Figured Foulards, imitation Chinasiks, 5c. yard to close,
Best quality Waist and Shirting Callcoes, 31-2c. yard.
Heavy Yard-Wide Unbleached Cotton,
4c. vard to close.
Abron Gingham, was 5c., 3c. yard to close. Remnants.
50-inch All-Wool Ladies' Cloth—colors
Brown, Green, Navy, Red, and Gray—
was 50c., to close 25c.
35-inch All-Wool Gray Coverts, were
\$\tilde{1}\$ 1-2c.; price to close, 20c., yard.

1 piece of Pink Opera Flannel, was 50c.;
to close, 19c., yard.

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4 pieces of All-Wool Striped French Flannel, was 65c.; to close, 25c. yard.
Don't fail to look over the Colored Worsted-Goods Remnants, marked at prices to close.
Remnants of Lining Cambric, 2 1-2c. Yard.
Best quality Fibre Chamois, to close 8c.
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4 c. vard to close.
Abron Gingham, was 5c., 3c. yard to close.
Remnants of 12 1-2c. Crepon, 3c. yard to close.
Unbleached Jeans, was 10c., 6 1-4c. yard to close.
French Flannellettes, suitable for dressing sacques and children's sacques, 6 1-4c.

yard.
Rice Cambric, 5c. yard.
Rustling Taffeta, 5c. yard.
Percaline, all shades, as well as high Silk-Finished Rustling, 12 1-2c. yard; Gray Hair Cloth, 5c. yard. Nile-Green and Gray All-Silk Plush, 25c.

Nile-Green and Gruy All-Silk Plush, 25c. vard to close.
One lot of Ribbons-Brown, Grays.
Tans. and Lavender-in Nos. 5, 7, 9, and 12. satin edges and Moires, your choice 2c, yard to close.
Gentlemen's Silk and Lisle Berlin Gloves, to close 25c, pair.
Gentlemen's Dark-Brown Kid Gloves, spotted, to close 19c, pair.
4 nairs Black Undressed Kids, price was spotted, to close 10c, pair.

4 pairs Black Undressed Kids, price was
51.50; to close, 25c.—size 5 1-2.

1 pair Cadet-Blue Undressed Kids, size
5 1-2, to close 25c.

Caustlets size 5 3-4, to

Large Size All-Lines ruce.

Size, 10c.

Children's Caps, solled and mussed, were 75c, to \$1.50, to close 5c.

Ladies' Wrappers, were \$1; to close, 50c, 1 Ladies' Satine Skirts, figured, 25c. to 2. to close 25c. pair Gray Gauntlets, size 5 3-4, to Close 25c.
Ladles' Driving Gauntlets, Black and Tan, were \$1.50; to close, 75c. pair.
Tan Blarritz or Pigskin Gloves, sizes 51-2 to 7, to close 50c. pair.
20-Button Tan Mosquetaires, were \$3; Boys' Percale Shirt-Walsts, 10c. to close.
Ladies' 50c. Shirt-Walsts, 25c. to close.
Ladies' \$1 Shirt-Walsts, 59c. to close.
Boys' Blouse Waists, 59c. to close.
Boys' Blouse Waists, 51k-striped flannellette, 25c. to close.
Infants' Long Tan Cashmere Closks, were \$3.50, now \$1.25.
Ladies' Tan Spring Jackets, were \$5; to close \$1.50.
Ladies' Spring Capes, were \$3; to close \$1.25. to close, 75c.

Pink, Layender, Light-Blue, Red, and
Black Cord Ruching, to close 2c. yard.

Fancy Silk Ruching, was 25, 56, and 75c.
yard; to close, 5c. yard.

Boys' Sailor and Round Collars, were

Boys' Sailor and Round Conats, were 5c.; to close, 5c. Ladies' White Linen Chemisettes, in eleated and plain box, were 25c.; to close Ladies' Turn-Down Collars, 5c. Ladies' Mourning Collars, were 15c.; to close, 2c.—all sizes, Ladies' Mourning Cuffs, were 25c.; to close. Sc. pair.
White Worsted Canvas Belts, 1c.
Ladies' White Collars, fancy edges, Sc.
Cuffs to match, 10c.
Children's White Collars, sizes 19, 11,
11 1-2, and 12, to close 1c. aplece.
Boys' White Collars, with fluted edges,
Gentlemen's Madras-Bosom Shirts, 45c.
Gentlemen's Dark Flannel Outing

Boys' White Collars, with fluted edges, loc.

Ladies' Solid Pink and Blue Cuffs and Collars, to match shirt-waists, loc. set.

Ladies' Pink, Light-Blue, Cream, and Red Silk Handkerchiefs, Sc. to close.

Ladies' White Mousseline de Soie Handkerchiefs, fancy colored edges and borders, to close 25c, apicce—few Black in this lot.

Misses' Corset Waists, sizes 18 to 23, to close 12 1-2c.

Heavy Ecru Insertings, were 15c, yard; to close 3c, yard.

Pleated India Linen, with 2 rows of close.

Gentlemen's Dark Flannel Outing Shirts, 22c to close.

Gentlemen's Dark

Pleated India Linen, with 2 rows of twice the process of the proce

JULIUS SYCLE & SON, The Tower, Corner Second and Broad.

MR. PHILLIPS HAS NO OPPOSITION. was one of the most attractive features of the evening.

Trensurer-Want the Convention. Mr. Charles H. Phillips, the genial and efficient City Treasurer, will have no opposition for renomination this spring. On yesterday at noon, the time by which all aspirants who desired to go into the Democratic primary for this office were Democratic primary for this office were required to make their deposits with the treasurer of the City Democratic Committee, Mr. Philips was the only person to present himself and tender the funds required in accordance with the plan for the primary. This being the case, the City Treasurer had to put up \$900, or the sum necessary for the entire election. Treasurer Tyler received Mr. Philips's check in the presence of Messrs, M. L. Dawson, chairman of the City Committee, and George McD. Blake and Clyde W. Saunders.

Saunders.

As there is no other candidate in the field, the City Committee, at its meeting to-night, will in all probability declare Mr. Phillips the party's choice. With but one candidate in the field, it will not be necessary to hold a primary, as is done when there are several candidates in the race to determine which shall go before the people on election-day as the choice of the Democratic party.

CONTEST FOR CITY SERGEANCY.

The contest for the office of City Sergeant for the unexpired term of Captain Charles H. Epps is still interesting, and when the Council meets to decide it on Monday night there will be disappointments to several enthusiastic workers for the place. Those who are making the fight before the Council are Mezers. H. Claiborne Epps, Robert T. Briggs, John M. King. Wirt E. Taylor, and probably others. Captain J. K. Michie, the well-known railroad man, has announced his intention of running for the place in the regular municipal election in 1898.

An incorrect impression appears to have gone out as to the amount of life-insurance left by Captain C. H. Epps. Mr. Claiborne Epps said yesterday that his father had left \$4,000 of insurance and two pieces of property. He had \$2,000 in the Knichts of Honor and \$2,000 in a Hartford concern that is now in liquidation. CONTEST FOR CITY SERGEANCY.

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Richmond wants the next State Demoratic Convention, which will probably
c held in August or September. The
ime and the place for this important
neeting will be fixed by the State Demoratic Committee when it convenes prosably in May. Should the State Commitee decide to bring the convention here
he money necessary to defray the exenses can be easily raised. There are
everal persons who, it is said, stand
eady to take hold of the financial part
of the programme and see to it that several persons who, it is said, stand ready to take hold of the financial part of the programme and see to it that whatever is necessary to pay for the hali and all other expenses is forthcoming.

The last convention held here was four years ago. Richmond made no fight for it last year. This city has superior hotel accommodations and the best railroad facilities of any city in the State. It can care for the convention better than any other city, and Richmond is the place for it, having the great Auditorium, with its superb facilities.

At the proper time the City Democratic Committee will be asked to take hold of the matter and make the fight for Richmond. Meantime, members of the State Committee are notified that Richmond is not only willing, but anxious to entertain the convention.

A SOCIAL AND FINANCIAL SUCCESS. The Musicale at Miss Pace's Last Evening a Delightful Affair.

Financially and socially the musica given last night at the residence of Mr. given last night at the residence of Mr. James B. Pace, under the auspices of the Juffor Auxiliary of the Home for Incurables, for the benefit of the building fund of the institution, was an unequivocal success. The pariors, which had been so generously placed at the disposal of the auxiliary, were crowded throughout the evening with the votaries of fashion, and under the personal direction of Miss Bessie Pace a delightful musical programme

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Mrs. Mann S. Valentine, Jr., president of the auxiliary was assisted in receiving by Misses Lulie Walker, Annie Lelie Gray, Lisa Bierne, Mary Lyons Mayo, Bettle Cary, Anna and Neille Boyfein; B. Robinson, of Staten Island; Florence and Mand McKenney, Hessie Pace, Maud Stringfellow, Meade Burrell, Louise Allen Mayo, Mary Saunders, Judith Deane, and the Misses Wilson.

The principal features of the musical programme were contributed by the Old Dominion Sextette—Miss Webster, Mrs. Bethel, Miss Bessie Pace, and Mr. George Fenmark Taylor, Mr. Shepherd Webb was the accompanist. The Old Dominion Sextette played with their usual dash and precision. Miss Webster is undoubtedly one of the most accomplished amateur planists in the city. Mrs. Bethel, the new somano at the First Baptist church, was heard for the first time in public, with evident satisfaction. Miss Pace gave some delightful selections, and Mr. Cooper made a pronounced hit with his comic songs and dialect stories.

The refreshment menu included an endless variety of dainties.

Among the callers were Miss Phyllis Langhorne, Miss Hattle Ross, Mrs. Carolyn Morton, Miss Mabel Walker, Mr. Aubrey Young, Mr. Dean Maury, Mr. James Moneure, Mr. John Rutherford, Mr. Lynwood Antrim, Mr. Edward Harrison, Colonel Jo, Lane Stern, Mr. and Mrs. James B. Pace, Messrs, Wilson and Victor Williams, Mrs. John Harrison, Mrs. Scott Parrish, Miss Virginia Hayes, Miss Lily Hill, Miss Bettle Christian, Mrs. Scott Parrish, Miss Virginia Hayes, Miss Lily Hill, Miss Bettle Christian, Mrs. Scott Parrish, Miss Virginia Hayes, Miss Lily Hill, Miss Bettle Christian, Mrs. Scott Parrish, Miss Lieghertine, Miss Annabel Jenters Wilson and Mr. Robert Miss Pessie Juckson Mr. Robert Miss Pes Mr. S. S. P. Patteson, Mr. Jordon Leake, Mrs. Nalle. Miss Maggie Stringfellow, Mr. Granville Valentine, Miss Annabel Jenkins. Miss Bessle Jackson. Mr. Robert Williams, Miss Nannie Langhorne: Miss Henrietta Booth, of Williamsburg; Miss Nellie Mayo, Miss Sophie White, Miss Annie McGuire. Miss Frances Scott, Mrs. Fitzbugh Mayo, Mrs. William Oppenhimer, Mr. Mann S. Valentine, Jr., and many others.

Heptusophs Meet and Fenst. Virginia Conclave of Heptasophs held a largely attended and very interesting meeting last night. There were a number of visiting brethren present. Considerable business was disposed of, and A. W. Rosene was elected representative to the Supreme Conclave, which meets in St. Louis next month. After the meeting an elegant supper was served at E. A. Stumpf's restaurant.

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